APR 0 8 2003

Customer No. 22.852

Attorney Docket No. 05725.0776

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 3751

Examiner: H. Le

In re Application of:

Jean-Louis H. GUERET

Application No.: 09/691,944

Filed: October 20, 2000

APPLICATOR DEVICE FOR For:

APPLYING A LIQUID PRODUCT

RECEIVED

APR 1 4 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of December 10, 2002. A fee of \$110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter the Request for Continued Examination and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No.

06-0916.

04/09/2003 YPOLIT#1 00000022 09691944

02 FC:1251

110.00 OP

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: April 8, 2003

Susanne T. Jones

Reg. No. 44,472

FINNEGAN **HENDERSON** FARABOW GARRETT & DUNNERLL

1300 I Street, NW Washington, DC 20005 202.408.4000 Fax 202.408.4400 www.finnegan.com

514190-1